

We are aware that Sinclair Broadcasting has plans to REQUIRE their stations to air an inflammatory anti-Kerry "documentary" shortly before the November election. This is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

The law obligates Broadcasters using the public airwaves free of charge to serve the PUBLIC interest. But when these large Companies CONTROL the airwaves, they short change, indeed jeopardize Democracy.

The political agendas of these mega-companies require our diligent efforts to strengthen media ownership rules by not allowing the broadcasters to by-pass or ignore the laws.

This highlights the reasons the license renewal process needs to involve far more than a returned postcard.

Sincerely
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